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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS : V. SCHREINER ET AL.  
SERIAL NO. : TO BE ASSIGNED  
FILED : DECEMBER 1, 2000  
FOR : COSMETIC OR DERMATOLOGIC PREPARATIONS  
CONTAINING CATECHINS OR GREEN TEA EXTRACT  
ART UNIT : TO BE ASSIGNED  
EXAMINER : TO BE ASSIGNED

December 1, 2000

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants submit the following Preliminary Amendment in order to place the instant application in better condition for examination on the merits.

IN THE CLAIMS

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Please cancel Claims 1-4.